## JUNE 6 FOR DEMOCRATS?

HILL'S PRIENDS SAY NEW YORK

FOR STATE CONVENTION. State Committee Meets at Noon To-day to Decide No Tammany Men Around the Hoffman House, Where Senator Hill Was

Last Night-His Little Bimetallism Joke. The Democrats began to assemble last night at the Hoffman House. The Democratic State Committee meets at noon to-day to name time and place for the Democratic State Convention which is to select delegates and alternates at large to the National Convention. The impression prevailed among Senator Hill's friends at the Hoffman House last evening that the convention would be called for this city on June 6. Others prefer a later date. Senator Hill was at the hotel occupying room 258. Senator Hill always goes to the Hoffman House when he is in this city on politics. The Hon. John R. McLean was at the Hoffman House, and this, together with the fact that the Hon. Perry Belmont had seen Mr. Hill on Wednesday, gave rise to a story that the ex-Senator was interested in the Presidential aspirations of Admiral Dewey, and would have a talk with Mr. McLean. Later this was said to be without foundation, and it was declared that Mr. Hill had not encouraged Mr. Belmont at all when the latter mentioned the Dewey boom. When Senator Hill was interviewed by the reporters one of them asked him what political significance there was in the interviews he had had within a very few days of each other with ex-Gov. John P. Altgeld of Illinois, a rabid Bryanite and free silver man, and Mr. Belmont, a gold

and Dewey man. Why," said Senator Hill, "a Democratic friend of mine in Albany asked me about that yesterday. He said, 'What do you mean by seeing a free silver man one day and a gold man the next? How are you going to explain I told him that no one in either party ould complain of that; that it was bi-

The Hou. William H. Tracey of Rochester was at the hotel, making violent efforts to build up a sentiment in favor of that city as the convention town, but it was declared that he would not be successful.

There was some effort on the part of ex-Judge Van Wyck's friends to create an interest in his alleged Presidential aspiration. Judge Van Wyck was in the hotel, talking to his Van Wyck was in the hotel, talking to his friends. No one manifested much interest in his boomers, but all of the statesmen were politic and cordial to Judge Van Wyck.

It was remarked that there seemed to be little euthusiasm among the Democrats who were in the Hoffman House, and attention was called to the fact that on the evening previous to the meeting of the Republican State Committee for the puriose of calling the State convention a greaterowd of politicians from all parts of the State, including this city, filled the corridors of the Fifth Avenue Hotel. There was no such crowd at the Hoffman House last evening, and the Tammany Hall statesmen were conspicuously absent.

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It has been said that the Democrats this year will follow the policy adopted by them in 1888 and will not at their State Convention name the Electors for the Congress districts. This matter is yet to be

ettled.

Ex-Senator Hill had talks with Chairman frank Campbell of the State Committee and Elliot Danforth, chairman of the Executive Committee of the State Committee. It has been deermined to elect a new Democratic State Committee of the State Committee. It has been determined to elect a new Democratic State Committee at the State Convention, Just as the Republicans did this year. During the day the Hon. John F. Carroll, the Hon. Norman E. Mack, Dr. John H. Girdner and other well-known Democrats called upon Chairman Campbell and Executive Chairman Danforth at the Hoffman House. Of course Mr. Mack and Dr. Girdner, representing the simon pure Bryanites of the State, desire very much that the Democratic State Convention shall not only indorse Bryan, but shall come out strongly for a reaffirmation of the Chicago platform of 1896 and instruct the New York delegates for Bryan first, last, and all the time. The delegates-at-large and alternates and the Congress district delegates were not instructed by the State Convention of 1896, which met at Saratoga just prior to the holding of the National Convention in Chicago. Up to 1896 the Democratic State conventions of New York had instructed their delegates to national conventions, and, moreover, had applied the unit rule to them. In 1888 the delegates from New York State were instructed for Cleveland and in 1892 for Hill. Still, a good many said yesterday that the policy of 1866 would be continued this year so far as instructing the delegation is concerned.

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Many Democratic believe they should put in their State platform this year a plank against trusts and against the McKirley Administration's Porto Rican policy. This, like the proposal to reaffirm the Chicago platform is held in absyance. There does not seem to be any cohesion as to sentiment and policy among the Democrats. On about only one thing are they united: that, that the State convention should elect a new State Committee, and that immediately after the Democratic National Convention is held in Kanaas City on July 4, Democratic headquarters should be opened at the Hoffman House in New York city, so that the work of the campaign from a national standpoint can be got fully underway by the time that the Democrate are ready for the State convention of September which is to name a State ticket.

There are a great many candidates for the Democratic nomination for Governor, but up Democratic nomination for Governor, but ut to this time, it was said, Elliot Danforth seems to be in the lead, because of the magnificenrun he made for Lieutenant-Governor in 1808

#### COUNTY COMMITTEE CHEER QUIGG Date of His Retirement Not Announced-He Goes to See the Governor.

At the meeting of the Republican County Committee last evening in the Murray Hill Lyceum, only one motion was made and that was to adjourn. The committee was called to order at 8:27 o'clock by President Quigg, and Secretary Manchester read the minutes of the March meeting which adjourned because there was no quorum present.

The chairman has no business to present to the committee," said Mr. Quigg. "Has any delegate any motion to make?" No one said anything. After a half minute

Postmaster, Van Cott moved to adjourn and the delegates all voted aye. The only interesting incident of the meeting was the cordial reception to Mr. Quigg. When he took his seat on the platform, the committeemen began to applaud, and they gave three cheers for him. They also asked each other

what was the matter with Mr. Quigg and an-

what was the matter with Mr. Quigg and answered loudy that he was all right.

Mr. Quigg spent yesterday in Albany and saw the Governor. He would not tell what business took him to the Capitol. As to who will succeed him when he retires as chairman of the County Committee, nothing new came out yesterday.

Several district leaders who were at the meeting said that they expected that Gov. Roosevelt would veto the bill restricting the service of papers in the municipal courts to municipal marshals, but that they thought that he would approve the bill providing for the appointment of inheritance tax appraisers by the State Comptroller. There are many candidates for these apmany candidates for these apps, but it was said last evening that had been reached as to the one

## 16TH DISTRICT CONVENTION.

The Plan Agreed On at the Fifth Avenue Hotel

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., April 19 .- The Sixteenth Congress district convention to elect delegates to the Republican National Convenwas held here to-day. The plan devised at a conference held last Sunday at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, in which representatives of Ward and Burns factions in this county took part, was carried out. John M. Shinn, a Burns man, presided. The selections for national delegates were Mayor Leslie Suther and on delegates were Mayor Lesie Sutherland of Yonkers, representing the Ward wing of the barty, and State Committeeman William II. Ten Evek, representing the Burns and of the party. The alternates are James K. Apgar and Edward dealey. The Ward faction claimed the right to have the delegation from the Second Assembly district divided, allowing four votes to each ide, on the same basis as recognized by the district committee. The opposition having the listrict committee refused to recognize the instrict committee refused to recognize the instrict committee refused to recognize the farm of the Ward people. Frank V. Millard was named as Presidential

## Chairman Odell Starts for California.

ALBANY, April 19.-Chairman Benjamin B. Odell of the Republican State Committee passed through Albany on the 4:20 o'clock train this afternoon on the special car Lucullus, on his way to California. The trip will last several weeks. He was accompanied by his family and some triends. Gov. Roosevelt left the Executive Chamber and reached the station in time to have a short talk with Mr. Odell before the train pulled out. The Governor said his call on Mr. Odell was purely a social one,

#### WOMEN MEET POLITICIANS.

Seven or Eight Campstools, Eleven Rocking Chairs and a Prizenght Report. The women of the League for Political Edueation sent out cards of invitation to all residents of the Fifteenth Senate district to attend a session at the league rooms last night to

meet and hear Senator Elsberg, Assemblyman Weekes and several Aldermen and thus discharge the civic duty of getting acquainted with their representatives. There were just enough women present to occupy the eleven rocking chairs owned by the league and seven or eight men sat on campstools. Senator Elsberg couldn't come. Assemblyman Weekes was there and he told the mem-

bers about the work of the last Legislature and of his own Codes Committee. With reference to the anti-Horton law he said:
"One day before the bill to stop boxing was passed Senator Tim Sullivan came to me and said, 'Weekes, there's going to be a pretty fair mill to-night down in New York and I want you to come down and see for yourself that it's all right and that these blankety blank parsons who have been preaching at your committee don't know what they are talking about. Well, I'll confess I went with him. They gave me a box seat and a lot of toughs kept offering me cigars and I suspect that that particular tight was made rather mild for my benefit, but the Anti-Boxing bill was passed."

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asked a rather severe-looking woman of the Assemblyman.

"Why, that was between some one from out West and Mystery—eh, Mys—ter-terious Smith. One knocked the other down."

"What a funny name!" exclaimed the member of the Committee on Topics.

"Why do they waste the money?" was the next question. This was fired at ex-Alderman Sherman, and he responded with statistics about Manhattan, Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond with such apparent command of the whole subject that hand clapping and handkerchief waving continued for several seconds after the chairman had declared an adjournment.

#### NEW ROSS-APPLETON FEUD.

Dady Accuses Him of Breaking Faith in Regard to a Presidential Elector. A dinner in honor of Col. Michael J. Dady, chairman of the Republican Executive Committee in Brooklyn, is to be given by his politi-

cal associates next Tuesday night at the Clarendon Hotel. It will be Col. Dady's fiftieth Clarendon Hotel. It will be Col. Daily's fiftieth birthday.

Both Col. Dady and Chairman Walter B. Atterbury of the General Committee are after the political scalp of R. Ross Appleton, the representative of the second Congress district on the State Committee. Mr. Atterbury's hostility to Mr. Appleton is of long-standing while that of Col. Dady has been specially aroused through the choice of Samuel Rowland. a Presidential Elector in the second district, mainly through Mr. Appleton's influence, Col. Dady avers that he had an understanding with Mr. Appleton some days before the State convention that Charles R. Banks was to be the Elector and he feels sore over Mr. Banks's defeat.

#### BOOM FOR CHARLES EMORY SMITH. The Postmaster-General Suggested as a Can didate for Vice-President.

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 19.-A boom has been started for Charles Emory Smith, the Postmaster-General, for the Republican noniination for Vice-President. It is said to be engineered by Congressman Connell of Scranton. Congressman Connell is close to the State administration leaders, and it is believed that an attempt will be made at the State Convention next week to inderse not only President McKinley for another term, but also his Postmaster-General for his running mate.

Quigg and the Governor Discuss Politics. ALBANY, April 19.-Lemuel Ely Quigg was with the Governor for a short time to-day. The Governor would say nothing further than that they discussed political matters.

#### FREE COMPANY WATER IN BRONX. Consumers Say It Is City Water-Wont Pay City Backs Them Up.

John P. O'Brien and William M. Ellis, receivers of the New York and Westchester Water Company, moved before Justice Fitzgerald of the Supreme Court yesterday for a mandamus to compel Commissioner Keating to issue a permit so that they may open the

mandamus to compel Commissioner Reating to Issue a permit so that they may open the street in Madison avenue near West Farms road, and cut off the supply of water to Mrs. Annie R. Conklin Henderson. The company say that she has not raid a bill of \$104 for water, and that other householders also refused to pay on the statement that the company has no right to the money. The owner of the house in suit appeared in the proceeding as Mrs. Conklin, but Henry C. Henderson made affidavit that he is married to Mrs. Conklin, and that the property has lately been transferred to him.

Counsel for Mrs. Henderson said that the company has been unable to supply the water as it agreed to do and that it has been getting water from the city turned into its mains to make the required supply. It was alleged that the company does not nay the city for the water and yet expects the people to pay the company. The receivers contended that Mrs. Henderson had no right to appear in the proceeding which was directed against Commissioner Keating.

Assistant Corporation Counsel O'Neill contended that before the company could get a mandamus it ought to secure judgment against Mrs. Henderson, because the claim is disputed. If the company got permission to open the street it would cut off other consumers of water in that neighborhood before the right to impose water rates had been judicially determined. The Court reserved decision.

#### LIGHTNING RAID ON POLICY MEN Method of Goddard's Anti-Gambling Society Doesn't Give a Chance for Tips.

Capt. F. Norton Goddard's anti-policy society began a crusade on the West Side yesterday. and by fast work succeeded in landing four alleged proprietors of policy shops.

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Four agents of the society, headed by Edward J. Reardon, appeared in the West Side police court yesterday afternoon and secured the warrants. Ten minutes later a closed carriage droveup to the door and Reardon and live of the court policemen jumped in. The carriage went first to a house in Eleventh avenue near Forty-second street. A policeman with a warrant for a man inside jumped out and without waiting for the result of his visit or for a tip to get around, as tips sometimes do, the horses were whipped up and the carriage went on. It stopped at a place in Forty-second street, near Ninth avenue, near Twenty-eighth street. The fourth and last stop was made in front of a clear store in Twenty-ninth street. The fourth and last stop was made in front of a clear store in Twenty-ninth street. Near Seventh avenue. Policeman Jordan and one of Capt, Goddard's men broke down a door to get their man at that place.

Four policemen with as many prisoners filed into the West Side court room a short time after the carriage left the door, only brief intervals separating their respective arrivals, At each place Capt, Goddard's men had saized some policy writing paraphernalia. Hardly had the prisoners been brought in than a lawyer and a bondsman appeared for them. The bondsman was Adolph Jantzen. Jr. Magistrate Deuel held all four men in \$500 bail each for examination on Tuesday. Four agents of the society, headed by Edward

## JAILED TO MEND HIS MANNERS.

Woman's Annoyer Sent to the Workhouse for Three Months Weeps in Court.

William Mann, a salesman, 35 years old, was sent to the Workhouse yesterday for three months by Magistrate Brann for annoying Miss Ida Halsted of 47 West Thirtieth street. Miss Ida Halsted of 47 West Thirtieth street. Miss Halsted said that since she refused to marry Mann two years ago he had been bothering her sending telegrams and messages to her and every one related to her. Sometimes he would send a half a dozen telegrams, one so soon after the other that all arrived at the same time. Most of the telegrams contained requests for meetings at places and hours named, but Marn never appeared to keep an appointment.

"What do mean by acting in that way?" Magistrate Brann asked the prisoner.

"Boo hoo-hoo," blubbered Mann, tears trickling down his nose. "Fil-bubb-bubb-bubb-never do it again."

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"I have no use for hysterical men," remarked
the Maristrate. "I'll try if three months in
the Workhouse will make a better man of you.

Mr. Mann. Frederic Bronson's Body Arrives. The body of Frederic Bronson, who died of pneumonia at Palermo, Sieily, on March 20, arrived last night on the North German Lloyd arrived data Malser Wilnelm II., in charge of Mrs. Bronson and her daughter. The funeral will be held at Grace Church at 8:45 o'clock to-

## morrow morning.

Stebbins Williams. WATERTOWN, N. Y., April 19.-The marriage of Miss Edith Williams, daughter of Justice and Mrs. Pardon C. Williams, and John Cooper Stebbins of this city took place this evening at Trinity Church, the Rev. J. Saunders, D. D.,

## THE TRENTON CONVENTION. JERSEY REPUBLICANS CHOOSE DELE-

GATES TO PHILADELPHIA. Senator Kean's Self-Sacrifice Makes Him Lion

of the Day-Tribute to Vice-President Hobart Republican Policies Indorsed. TRENTON, N. J., April 19.-The Republican State Convention to elect delegates-at-large to the Republican National Convention was held in Taylor's Opera House, this city, to-day. The withdrawal last night of United States Senator Kean as a candidate for a place on the ticket alone made harmony possible. It also made him the most popular politician in the State today. He was warmly greeted in the convention and there was cheering at every mention of his name. The delegates elected are Senator William J. Sewell, Gov. Foster M. Voorhees, Franklin Murphy, chairman of the State Committee, and Barker Gummere. Hudson and Union insisted on easting some votes for Kean when the roll of counties was called, but he asked that his name be dropped and moved the election of the other nominees by acciamation. Senator Sewell spoke of Senator Kean's sincerity and said that he himself would have withdrawn had not his colleague done so. Flavel McGee of Hudson seconded Senator Kean's motion and everybody, except two or three delegates who were hissed, voted for it. The alternates chosen are Henry J. Irick of Burlington, John I. Blair Reilly of Warren, Robert Williams of Passaic and Edward W. Woolley of Hudson. State Senator William M. Johnson of Bergen county presided over the conven-

The Committee on Resolutions reported the following platform, which was adopted: "We take this first suitable opportunity to publicly express our deep sense of the loss sustained by this State and the nation in the death of Vice-President Garret A. Hobart, for many years a wise and trusted leader in State affairs and later an able counsellor and con-spicuous figure in the broader sphere for which by his great abilities he was so well

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"We commend and indorse the present administration of national affairs, and give our highest approval of the course of William McKinley, as exhibited not only in his able and courageous support of party principles, as defined at the time of his election, but also in the wisdom, patriotism and exalted statesmanship with which he has dealt with new and complex problems of great national consequence, which have since arisen.

"We approve and indorse the course of our Senators and Republican members of the House of Representatives from this State in sustaining the President, and in the enactment of laws which have resulted in a period of unexampled prosperity, wherein labor and capital have been fully employed, and the markets of the world more widely opened to American industries; for the national defence, for the reenforcement of the Navy, for the enlargement of our foreign markets, for the employment of American workingmen in the mines, for estates, farms, mills, factories and shipyards.

"We demand the immediate enactment of logislation similar to that favorably reported to each branch of Congress, so that American-built, American-owned and American-manned ships may regain the carrying of our foreign commerce.

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"We indorse and approve the administration of Gov. Foster M. Voorhees and the course of the Republican Legislature, and we congratulate New Jersey citizens upon the clean and honest State Government which was promised to them when they placed their public affairs under Republican control.

"We proclaim our appreciation of the brave and brilliant service of our soldiers and saflors who have brought success to our arms on land and sea.

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President and Vice-President who shall be
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to Philadelphia." nominated at the coming National Convention in Fhiladelphia."
The new State Committee is as follows: Atlantic county, Congressman John J. Gardner: Bergen. C. F. Breckenridge; Burlington, Robert C. Hutchinson: Camden, David Baird; Cape May, Robert E. Hand; Cumberland, E. D. Stokes: Essex, Henry M. Doremus and Henry A. Potter; Gloucester, Congressman H. C. Loudenslager: Hudson, Edward Fry and Col. S. D. Dickinson: Hunterdon, Richard B. Reading; Mercer, William H. Skirm: Middlesex, Henry H. Banker; Monmouth, C. Asa Francis; Morris, Mahlon Pitney: Ocean, A. M. Bradshaw; Passaic, Robert Williams; Salem, John C. Wardson, C. Bord, R. Somerset, Edward J. Anderson; Sussex, Dr. Harvey D. Van Gasbeck; Union, John Kean; Warren, A. Elair Kelsey.

#### QUEER MAN, CHARLES TURNER. Fools Furniture Stores With Big Orders and Hires Governesses.

The Brooklyn police are trying to determine whether Charles Turner, 60 years old, of 397 Pacific street, Brooklyn, is insane. They arrested him and locked him up last night in the Adams street station as a suspicious person. Turner is about 5 feet 10 inches tall, has gray hair and wears good clothes. He rented his room at the Pacific street house about three weeks ago and told the landlady that he was very wealthy. As he always had plenty of money, the landlady saw no reason to doubt money, the landlady saw no reason to doubt his statements.

On Monday he went to the store of William Berri's Sons on Fulton street and ordered furniture valued at over \$3,000.

"I have just purchased the house at Eighty-first street and Riverside Drive. Manhattan," he explained. "I wish you would go over to-day and measure the rooms for the carpets." On Tuesday morning the men from the store went to Eighty-first street and Riverside Drive and there found a big house in charge of a care-taker. They measured the rooms and then returned to Brooklyn. Half an hour later Turner appeared at the store and countermanded his order.

order.

On Wednesday he went to the store of Frederick Loeser & Co. and picked out \$10,000 worth of carpets and furniture. He was accompanied this time, the police say, by two sisters of a prominent real estate dealer in Brooklyn. In the afternoon he called at Losser's store and countermanded the order. Yesterday he went to the store of B. G. Latimer Sons' Company on Fulton street and ordered furniture and carpets valued at \$5,000. Several days ago he called on Mrs. Lehman, who runs an employment agency at 389 Atlantic avenue. He told her that his daughter, who was coming home from Paris in a week, would return there to see the Exposition. He wanted a companion for her personal expenses as well as a good salary. Mrs. Lehman said that she would take such a situation herself and leave her business in charge of an agent, and Turner hired her on the spot. He never came back.

About a week ago Turner engaged apartments at 303 Livingston street. He never occupied them. The police say that the real estate agent first learned of him when he called and said he wanted to engage two refined women as governess and companion for his sister, and desired to engage the real estate agent's two sisters. The agent afterward heard something that made him suspicious and he called in the police. Turner refused to talk at the station last night. On Wednesday he went to the store of Fred-

#### HEADBROKEN IN THE FIFTH AVENUE. Salesman Falls on the Stairs and Fractures His Skull.

Two men assisted a third whose steps were unsteady out of a cab in front of the Fifth Avenue Hotel yesterday afternoon and led him nue Hotel yesterday afternoon and led him into the bar. They sat down at a table and had drinks. Then the two rien left the third and disappeared. A moment later he started down the marble stairs to the basement, and half way, slit ped to the bottom, falling on his head. Detective Forgee picked him up unconscious, and he was sent in an ambulance to Bellevue Hospital. The surgeons there found that he was suffering from a fracture of the base of the skuil. He recovered consciousness later and said he was James Van Wart, an oil salesman, with an office at 83 Maiden Lane, and living at 7 Orient avenue, Jersey City. He will probably recover.

## SICK ITALIAN IN THE WAY.

and Secure Health Papers for Her. The agents of the French line of steamers did some hustling in regard to the case of Giuseppe Antonetto, an alien Italian who arrived on the La Gascogne on his way to St Louis. Antonetto developed crystpelas on the voyage over, and since the vessel docked has bouls. All sines the vessel docked has been kept on board. The agents had to take care of him or send him back on the ship. She couldn't sail with a case of contagious disease on board, and so the agents sent around to the on board, and so the agents seek around to the hospitals to beg them to take the man. Belle-yue at last consented to take him. He arrived there at So'clock, an hour before the ship was to sail. Then the State Board of Health gave the ship her health papers, and she sailed on

#### A Verdict of \$2.500 for False Arrest. A jury in the Supreme Court in Brooklyn. yesterday, gave Andrew Ericson a verdict for \$2,500 in his suit against the Edison Electric Hiuminating Company for false arrest and imprisonment. In October, 1897, Ericson put up additional electric lamps in his bakery at 115 Smith street, and the company had him arrested for stealing the extra electricity, but the charge was dismissed by the Police Magis-

DENIALS BY MRS. CLARKE.

She Explains Incidents Related by Her Husband in His Divorce Suit.

PITTSBURG, April 19 .- The trial of the diorce suit of James King Clarke against his wife, Esther Bartlett Clarke, was resumed to-day. The plaintiff went on the stand for cross-examination. He testified that he had never had marital relations with his wife, although in answer to Mrs. Clarke's counsel, Col. Worthington, he said he had occupied the same apartments with her from the wedding night until

April 26. W. M. Hall, assistant counsel for Mrs. Clarke, outlined the defence, intimating that Clarke was drunk for several days after the marriage and that he had contrived a plot against his wife. Mirs. Clarke went on the stand.

The witness told of the visit to Weber and Fields's Theatre and the Imperial Hotel for luncheon on the night of the same day, and Clarke's invitation to Kellogg to come up to the room. Clarke left her and Kellogg there. Presently Clarke came and knocked at the door. She told him to come in, that the door was not locked. Clarke wanted to know what she and Kellogg meant by being in the room together with the door locked. Clarke and Kellogg had some words, and then Clarke apologized. After Kellogg left the husband went down on his knees and apologized to her.

Mrs. Clarke said that a month before the marriage she had told Clarke that her feelings toward him had chanked, because he had conlessed that he had ruined a sixteen-year-old girl at Princeton. Mrs. Clarke denied that she had been unfaithful to her husband with Kellogg.

Clarke will take the witness stand again tomorrow. outlined the defence, intimating that Clarke

STRIKERS WANT \$30,000 A WEEK. Cigarmakers Ask the C. F. U. to Find Some

Way of Raising It.

Delegates from the cigarmakers, unions in New York and New Jersey held a meeting last night in Bohemia Hall, on East Seventy-third night in Bohemia Hall, on East Seventy-third street, for the purpose of devising ways and means of raising funds for the support of the striking eigarmakers oil New York.

One of the delegates said that there were 7,500 eigarmakers out of employment, and that it would require at least \$30,000 a week to support them. Of the 7,500, he said, 2,500 had gone on strike, and the remaining 5,000 had been locked out by the manufacturers, who had shut down their factories.

A resolution was passed calling upon the Central Federated Union to find some way of raising the necessary \$30,000 a week.

#### OFF TO MEET HER FIANCE.

Miss Vermeule's Long Ante Nuptial Trip-Lieut. Pearson, U. S. A., Awaiting Her.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., April 19.-Miss Marguerite Vermeule, daughter of Mrs. Sarah Vermeule of Watchung avenue, started this morning at 11 o'clock on her long journey west, where she is to meet Lieut. Samuel Pearson, where she is to meet Lieut. Samuel Pearson, U. S. A., and be married at Salt Lake City. A company of relatives and friends gathered at the railroad station to see her off.

Miss Vermeule expects to reach Salt Lake City within five days. She will be met by Lieut. Pearson, and after they are married they will remain at the latter place three days before going to Fort Duchesne, where the Lieutenant is stationed and where they will take up their residence. Before Miss Vermeule's departure her friends here gave her many handsome presents.

#### UNCONSCIOUS NINE AND A HALF DAYS Electricity and Hot Applications Used Vainly

to Revive Katle Knepper. Katie Knepper, the three-year-old daughter of Isaac Knepper, a goldbeater of 112 Canal street, died yesterday after having unconscious nine and a half She fell out of bed, and, it is been days. surmised, injured her spine. She was kept alive until yesterlay by liquid food. Dr. Cyrus Edson made fruitless efforts to arouse the little girl by using electricity and hot applications. It is thought that she died of a form of menin-

#### HENRY DEMAS DEAD.

He Was Louisiana's Last Negro Politician and Was Known as the Black Prince.

NEW ORLEANS, April 19.-Henry Demas, the negro politician of Louisiana, died here to-day, aged 52. He was the last of the negro politiclans to remain in power in the South and held absolute control of his district for a quarter of a century. Demas was a sugar and rice planter in St. John, where he was known as the Black Prince.

## A Gift of Princeton Graduates.

PRINCETON, N. J., April 19.-The class of 82 of Princeton University has deposited with the university treasurer \$1,850 as an endowment for a class library of metaphysics and logic. Of this amount \$1,000 is to be permanently invested, and the remainder. \$550, will be expended at once. The new books are to be added to the library of ethics founded by Mr. Charles V. Alexander.

## Dieterich - Young.

Miss Edith Young and Alfred Elliott Dieterich were married yesterday at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Albert Young, 19 East Fifty-fourth street. Owing to the fact that the amily was in deep mourning, only relatives and intimate friends witnessed the ceremony. and intimate friends witnessed the ceremony. The bride is the wealthiest of the Easter season, as she is said to have inherited something like \$8,000,000 from her lather, Albert Young, of Richmond, Va. Mr. Dieterich, who is a Columbia graduate, class of '169, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Dieterich of 1903 Fifth avenue. Mrs. Young, the bride's mother, who purchased the former residence here of Gen, John Watts Kearny, gave a dinner party on Tuesday evening for the young people of the bridal party.

## Burroughs-Moore.

The marriage of Miss Clara Josephine Moore of Pueblo, Col., and Charles Edward Burroughs was celebrated last nighthn St. Andrew's Protestant Episcopal Church, Fifth avenue and 127th street. The Rev. Dr. George H. Van de Water, the rector, performed the ceremony at Water, the rector, performed the ceremony at 8:30 o'clock. The bride was attended by Miss Janet Rogers as maid of honor. She was given away by her brother. Elbert Moore of Cornell University. Miss Helen Scoville, Miss Clara Fraser, Miss Grace Argensinger, Miss Mabel Server, Miss Rosie Nalle and Miss Johnnie Kokernot, all schoolmates of the bride, were the bridemaids. Afterward there was a large reception at the residence of Mrs. H. Scoville, 2040 Fifth avenue.

Miss Gulielma Jackson and Mr. Edward Batchelar were maried on Wednesday night at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Gaines Jackson, 53 Jackson avenue, Jersey City. The parlors were decorated with pink roses, palms, ferns and smilax. The cere-mony was performed by the Rev. Frederick Mortimer. The bride's gown was of white duchesse satin trimmed with chiffon and she wore a duchesse lace jacket with pearl girdle and collar. The bride had but one attendant, Miss Lulu Hussa. Dr. Wallace Pile was hest man. There was a reception after the cere-

The marriage of Miss Mary E. Price and Samuel Stribling Walstrum took place yesterday afternoon at the Central Presbyterian Church in West Fifty-seventh street. The Rev. Dr. Wilton Merle Smith, the pastor, performed the ceremony. The bride was given away by her trother, Theodore H. Price. Miss Bessia Allyn of Norfolk, Va., was maid of honor and William Walstrum, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. George Sullivan, Robert Bridges, Walter Price and Harry Adams were the ushers. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. William Henry Price of 205 West Fifty-seventh

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., April 19.-The marriage of Mr. Thomas Edmond Hayes of the large leather manufacturing firm of Howell Hinchman Company of this city and Newark, and Miss Bertha Morgans, a society belle of this city took place in the First Presbyterian Church here this afternoon. William L. Mills-paugh of Chicago was best man, and Miss Lillian Morgans, the bride's sister, was maid of honor. The ushers were Clarence T. Smith of Newark, Leigh Harrison of New York, Fred-erick S. Rogers and W. T. Morgans, the bride's brother of this city.

## Morrison James.

Miss Isabel Gautier James and Edward A Morrison, Jr., were married yesterday after noon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Booth James. 127 West Seventy-fifth street. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Bichard Cooden of Larchmont. Miss Caroline James, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. The dr were no bridemaids. A re-

# USED MR. M'KINLEY'S NAME.

GEN. DICK'S LETTERS OBJECTED TO BY OHIO REPUBLICANS. The Secretary of the Republican National Committee Falls to Get the Support He

Sought in the President's Home City The Delegates Declare Loyalty to McKinley Convention of Stark county met to-day at Canton, President McKinley's home city. delegates objected to what they regarded as an attempt at dictation on the part of Gen. Charles

A. Dick, Secretary of the Republican National Committee and instructed the delegates to the State convention to support Howard D. Mannington for Secretary of State against L. C. Laylin, Gen. Dick's candidate. The question was brought up in the conven-tion by the arrival of a letter carrier with a bundle of letters for delivery. The letters were from Gen. Dick and were addressed to the delegates in care of the convention. They urged the delegates to send a solid delegation

of State and spoke of him as the national Administration's candidate, who should be supported at the President's home. Judge J. P. Fawcett, a member of the Congressional Committee, moved to prohibit the distribution of the letters while the convention was in ses-aion, and this motion prevailed. Judge Faw-

aion, and this motion prevailed. Judge Fawcett said:

"The day of political dictation in Stark
county and in the State of Ohio has passed. It
was my privilege to stand up and fight for
President McKinlev in every contest he has
had and I propose to do it this year. Knowing
President McKinley as we do here we know
that he would not undertage to control the action of this convention. This convention will
be doing dishonor to its manhood and its integrity if it does not refuse to receive this mail.
I want to say here and now that these lettlers
will not control my vote or action in this convention. I will give my entire support to
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W. J. Oby spoke for the minority. He said: "I will be ashamed to have it said that Stark county, the home of the President, indorsed Mannington as against the Administration candidare" and he added that Secretary Dick was probably the personal representative of President McKinley and the letters should be received in the spirit intended.

Judge Fawcett replied, saving: "It is not proper that Mr. Oby should present President McKinley in a false position. We know that he would not purpose to control or undertake to control the action, and that he would not purpose to control or undertake to control the convention. Mr.McKinley does not care which of the two men named is elected Secretary of State. He has too good judgment to control the action of this convention or the State convention. It is because of the fool action of certain men who bretend to be his friends and speak for him that there is any opposition to his nomination and reflection."

The Committee on Resolutions reported instructions to the delegates chosen to support Howard H. Mannington of Columbus for Secretary of State and Joseph E. Blackburn for Dairy and Food Commissioner. The minority, who supported Dick's candidate, L. C. Laylin of Norwalk, sought to have all instructions eliminated, but were defeated 61 to 31. In the debate Mr. Oby said that those who worked against the Administration, which ought not to be rebuked. to be rebuked.
State Senator Wilhelm said that he was in favor of leaders and not dictators and he thought this was the time for the Republicans

of Stark county to so declare themselves, Judge Faweett said it was the duty of the Re-publicans of the President's own home to show to the world that they were opposed to dictation.

"Il Stark county endorses H. D. Manningtion." said Judge Fawcett, "it will show that
the Administration had no part in the sending
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204 to 179. Up to the ninth frame remarkably close contest. After that De Oro took a streak and gave an exhibition of brilliant work that surpassed himself, while Keogh seemed to lose his grip. When Keogh had reached 100 in the nineteenth frame De Oro was 179.

Keogh made some of his wonderfully strong combination shots in the first part of the game that won applause, while De Oro never illustrated more explicitly ore never illustrated more expicitly how much the receipt of his whole game is in his cue ball and his handling of it for position. In the latter part of the contest, from the twentieth frame, Keogh rallied and played one of the nerviest and steadily gaining upfill games ever seen. From being 79 behind he stood only 29 when DeOro reached 200, the 50 having been made up in six frames. 50 having been made up in six frames.

Twenty-six frames were played and the game was a slow one, but a crowd of about one hunand fifty waited until near midnight. The

red and fifty waited until near findingst. The score follows:

De Oro-1, 7, 9, 14, 0, 14, 0, 15, 11, 12, 13, 15, 15, 15, 15, 16, 0, 0, 11, 10, 0, 5, 0, 1, 9, 4, 5, 7, 61d, 204.

Keogh-14, 8, 6, 1, 15, 1, 15, 0, 4, 3, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 9, 15, 4, 5, 15, 10, 15, 14, 6, 11, 9. Total, 179.

Scratches—De Oro, 4; Keogh, 3, Safeties—De Oro, 2; Keogh, 4. Referee—Ora, Morning Stat.

### SEABOARD LINE MONEY ATTACHED. The James P. McDonald Construction Com-

pany Sues for \$397,723.34. PETERSBURG, Va., April 19.-The James P. McDonald Construction Company of New York flied to-day a bill in chancery here against the Seatoard and Roanoke and the Raleigh and Gaston Raliroad companies for \$307,123.34, alleged to be due for building the Richmond, Petersburg and Carolina Raliroad. Attachments were issued in the suit on the funds of the two detendant companies in the hands of various banks, railroad companies and other concerns.



The fond mother dreams great dreams of baby's future as she holds the sleeping little one in her arms. But the dreams will never come true unless she has given him a strong body and a healthy mind. Children die in hosts, or live to struggle through life feeble of body and dull of mind because the mother was unfit physically and mentally for motherhood Women who use Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription endow their children with strong bodies and bright minds. It is every mother's duty to give her child the advantages of a healthy body and mind. A weak or sickly woman cannot do this. "Favorite Prescription" makes weak women strong and sick women well.

Mrs. Orrin Stiles, of Downing, Dunn Co. Wis., writes: "I have been intending to write to you ever since my baby was born in regard to what your 'Pavorite Prescription' has done for me. I cannot praise it enough, for I have not been as well for five years as I now am. In Jub-last I had a baby boy, weight 11 pounds, and I was only sick a short time, and since I got up have not had one sick day. I have not had any womb trouble since I got up. I was not only surprised myself but all of my friends here are surprised to see me so well."

Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure biliousness.

## Chests of Sterling Silver **SPOONS** CANTON, Ohio, April 19.—The Republican FORKS AND

either alone or in combination with

# MATCHED CUTLERY AND SERVING PIECES

to the convention for L.C. Laylin for Secretary HE NUMBER OF NEW DESIGNS which have been brought out this season, and the very moderate prices at which GORHAM STERLING SILVER FORKS AND SPOONS can be purchased, make them of special interest to those who are looking for

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On Monday the receipts at the door were

\$735. This cash included a great number of

donations by people who refused to take

change for the money which they offered for tickets. Of course, a great many tickets have been sold outside of the Opera House and only a few people wait until they actually intend to visit the fair before they invest in tickets. The receipts at the door on the second day were \$410. This does not mean that the attendance on Tuesday was less than it had been on Monday, for it was almost three times as large, but simply that fewer admissions were paid for at the door of the Opera House and that more had been purchased in advance. On the second day of the fair business was done both in the afternoon and at night. The increase in sales on the second day was at first attributed altogether to the fact that there had been more time for selling. Although there are, at present, no figures to show it, the people in the booths and the managers have become convinced that it is true of this fair, at least, that no matter how much may be bought by the visitors one day, twice as much will be bought the next. On Monday the sales at the Porto Rico booth, where cigarettes are the principal articles sold, the receipts were \$13.95.

on Tuesday the sales at the same booth were \$25.50. The sales at the Army booth on Monday were \$12. On Tuesday they were \$40.35. The increase of business at the Army booth was, to a great degree, attributed to the desire of neople attending the Fair to buy khaki cloth. As soon as it became generally known that the genoine army cloth, the same as that furnished to the Quartermaster's Department of the Linied States Army, could be bought at the Army booth there was a great rush there for it and the Army women have had the greatest difficulty in keeping the supply up to the demand.

At the Scotch booth, where golf caps and tartans and home-made golf stockings are much sought after, the sales on Monday amounted to \$33.75. On Tuesday they were \$91.10. The Irish booth increased its sales from \$44.25 to \$75.75 from Monday to Tuesday. The English booth, with Lady Punneforte and Lady Mary Sackville and Mrs. George Gould as its principal patronesses, has really done more extensive trade than any other booth at the Fair. One of the typical hidings that happened at that booth was on Wednesday, when a purchaser walked up and bought a pincipal had been a particularly favored in the number of rich donations that have come to it. Such. for instance, as the polo pony which is to be voted for the most popular clubman at \$1 a vote. Then a large various trunk is to be voted for the most popular clubman at \$1 a vote. Then a large various trunk is to be worted for the most popular clubman at \$1 a vote. Then a large various trunk is being voted for to the most popular clubman at \$1 a vote. Then a large various trunk is the leavest of the peculiar China tea which is sold at the China booth in packages just sufficient to make one cup are becoming more and more popular as people are coming to understand what they are. The sales in the China booth Monday were \$14.85. On Tuesday. The tig surply of Bussina brasses. Which were \$30.10 and \$1.72.0 and \$1.72.75. The trade in steins and hock glasses at the German booth has been almost immediate

and \$170.28; Cuba, \$78.01 and \$49.32; battleship, Tuesday, \$48.00; Prance, Tuesday, \$53.20; soda fountains, Tuesday, \$6.90; Mexico, \$3.25 and \$43.92; Bookland, the Columbia College booth, \$1.35 and \$61.90; bargain counter, \$24.25 and \$70.55; The Studio, \$13.50 and \$23.55; the Colonial Tearcoom, \$52.201 \$75; Pan-American Express Company, \$8.20 and \$30; the Red Cross booth, where coffee and chocolate are served in field hospital style, \$17.40 and \$10.35; educational booth, \$4.50 and \$7. On Tuesday night the restaurant took in \$84.17; Italy, \$19.9 it; British India, \$8.45; college women, \$12.50. The total receipts on Monday were, \$1,570.18, and on Tuesday \$3.085.50.

There was received yesterday at the fair a

## LEXINGTON REMEMBERED.

Sons of the Revolution Celebrate 125th Anniversary of the Battle. The Sons of the Revolution held a meeting at Delmonico's last night to celebrate the 125th anniversary of the battle of Lexington. President Frederick Samuel Tallmadge was in the chair. District Attorney Gardiner was one of the two hundred members present. The Rev. Dr. two hundred members present. The Rev. Dr. Howard Duffield delivered an address upon the causes that led the Colonials to take up arms against a nation that had defeated the most powerful armies in Europe.

"The spirit of liberty, which was more precious than life itself to our forefathers," the speaker said, "still exists in this great nation, but in a more developed form. It is leading us to become the foremost nation in the world."

## WORRIED BY A BULLDOG.

Stonecutter Who Went to the Yard After Hours in a Serious Condition.

Charles Holmes, a stonecutter living at 145 West Ninety-eighth street, forgot to carry his tools home when he fin shed his work at 6 tools home when he fin shed his work at o o'clock last night. When he went back to the stoneyard at the foot of East 104th street three hours later to get them he was attacked by a building owned by the night watchman. By the time the watchman responded to Holmes's cries for help the dog had chewed several chunks out of his legs and arms. The watchman got the dog away at last and Holmes was taken in an ambulance to the Harlem Hospital. It was said that his condition was serious.

tion was serious.

Steamship Line Consolidation. Manager Franklin of the Atlantic Transport line returned yesterday from England aboard the White Star liner Teutonic, having completed negotiations while in London, for the consolidation of the Atlantic Transport and the Leyland lines. The capital of the new company, it is said, will be about \$25,000,000.

## Dinner for William V. Hester.

The employees of the Brooklyn Engle last night gave William V. Hester, secretary of the company, a dinner at the Hotel St. George as an expression of their regard for him, and also of their gratification over his recovery from a re-cent illness. There were over 350 persons at the dinner.



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